

To the Members of the California State Senate:

I strongly support screening women for cervical cancer on a regular basis and included funding in my budget to ensure uninsured women can access these preventive services. Given my strong belief in the power of prevention and early detection of diseases, I am signing Senate Bill 1245. This bill clarifies existing law to ensure women have access to comprehensive cervical cancer screenings that include Human papillomavirus (HPV) testing, as currently required.

Sincerely,

Arnold Schwarzenegger